



6-13-01  
GP 1744  
#3

Atty. Docket No.: 5568/1070

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Patrick J. Muraca  
Serial No.: 09/779,187  
Filed: February 8, 2001  
Entitled: "Styler for Use With Tissue  
Microarrayer and Molds"

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Group Art Unit: 1744

Conf. No.: 5622

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.10**

I hereby certify that the paper (and any paper or fee referred to as being enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service using Express Mail to Addressee Service, under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.10, **Express Mail Label No. EL728730675US** on this date, **June 12, 2001**, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Kimberly A. Coyne

Name of Person Mailing Paper

*Kimberly A. Coyne*  
Signature of Person Mailing Paper

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed for filing the above-identified patent application, please find the following documents:

1. Preliminary Amendment;
2. Amendment Transmittal Letter;
3. Check in the amount of \$90.00; and
4. Return Post-Card.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in the total fees to Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference 5568/1070. A duplicate of this transmittal letter is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 12, 2001

*Dianne Rees*

Name: Dianne M. Rees  
Registration No.: 45,281  
Palmer & Dodge LLP  
One Beacon Street  
Boston, MA 02108  
Tel: 617-573-0667

RECEIVED  
JUN 20 2001  
101700 MAIL ROOM



Express Mail Label No. EL728730675US

Date of Deposit: June 12, 2001

Attorney Docket No.: 5568/1070 PATENT

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Patrick J. Muraca

U.S. Serial No.: 09/779,187

Filed: February 8, 2001

Ref. No.: 5568/1070

Entitled: Stylet for Use With Microarrayer and  
Molds

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Group: 1744

Conf. No.: 5622

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment in response to the Office Action mailed on in the above-referenced patent application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is  
☒ a small entity.  
☐ other than small entity.

EXTENSION OF TIME

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
<input type="checkbox"/>	ONE month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	TWO months	\$390.00	\$195.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	THREE months	\$890.00	\$445.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	FOUR months	\$1,390.00	\$695.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	FIVE months	\$1,890.00	\$945.00
		Fee	\$

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

RECEIVED  
JUN 20 2001  
JC 1700 MAIL ROOM

- (a) ☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ \_\_\_\_\_

OR

- (b) ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(1)	(2)	(3)			
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	30	minus	20	10	<b>x \$18</b>	180.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	minus	5	0	<b>x \$80</b>	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM ADDED	NO				<b>\$270</b>	0.00
					<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>180.00</b>
If applicant has small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2 and enter amount here.				<b>SMALL ENTITY TOTAL</b>		<b>\$90.00</b>

- (c) ☐ No additional fee for claims is required.

OR

- (d) ☒ Total additional fee for claims required \$90.00

### FEE PAYMENT

5. ☒ Attached is a check in the sum of \$90.00

RECEIVED  
JUN 20 2001  
IC 1700 MAIL ROOM

- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0085, Reference No. 5568/1070 any additional necessary fees.  
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

Respectfully submitted

*Dianne Rees*

---

Name: Dianne M. Rees  
Registration. No.: 45,281  
Palmer & Dodge LLP  
One Beacon Street  
Boston, MA 02108  
Tel: 617-573-0667

RECEIVED

JUN 20 2001

TC 1700 MAIL ROOM